

GREAT GAME PROMISED

Shipbuilders and Crabtown Boys
Meet Here Today

BOTH SIDES ARE CONFIDENT

Doctors Loeb and McAllister Warn
the Fanatics That Something Extraordinary Is on Tap—"Much Rooting" Is Looked For.

"The team which I shall put in the field against the Hampton Athletics at the Casino park tomorrow afternoon will be the strongest that has represented Newport News on the diamond this season," said Manager Loeb last night. "The boys are in fine trim and are eager for the battle, which should be the fastest of the season. We expect to win on merit and I can assure you that there will be no rowdiness on either side, for the Shipbuilders will play gentlemanly ball, and I know the Hampton players to be gentlemen and above rowdy ball playing. There need be no fear that the great, though friendly, rivalry which exists between the teams will result in any disagreeable trouble."

The match this afternoon promises to be the game of the season. The Hampton players will put up their best to win the game while the home team will use every effort known to base ball to win.

Local fanatics will turn out in full force to see the game and the Hampton players will bring a large crowd of "rooters" over to see the match, so there should be plenty of "rooting" done on both sides.

Dr. McAllister, the Hampton manager, expresses confidence of victory and the members of the nine are determined to take the scalps of the Shipbuilders if fast playing will do it. The doctor announces that Balmer probably will be in the box for "Crabtown," with Johnson wearing the liverpad. Rowe will cover first base, Cunningham second, and Collier will be on third. Wyatt will be at short and O'Keefe and Clarke, pitchers, will be on hand.

Friday, August 17, 1906.

Arrived.

Steamer Gretavale (Br.) Searf, New York—To Chesapeake & Ohio Coal Agency Company for bunker coal.

Steamer Jefferson, Dole, New York and Norfolk—To Old Dominion Steamship Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Ontario, March, Baltimore—To Merchants & Miners Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Nantucket, Nickerson, Boston and Norfolk—To Merchants & Miners Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Large West Virginia from Providence—To Consolidated Coal Company in ballast.

Barge S. R. Mead from Providence—To Consolidated Coal Company in ballast.

Sailed.

Steamers: Gretavale (Br.) Searf, Wilmington; Ontario, March, Norfolk and Boston; Nantucket, Nickerson, Baltimore; Monroe, Huphurs, Norfolk and New York; George W. Cagle, O'Neil, Norfolk and Philadelphia.

Schooners: Frontenac, Coombs, Bangor; Sagamore, Trefry, Portland; Crescent, Mehaffey, Plymouth.

Calendar For This Day.

Sun Rises 5:24 a. m.
Sun Sets 6:54 p. m.
High water 8:36 a. m.; 8:52 p. m.
Low water 2:32 a. m.; 2:47 p. m.

Baltimore Produce Market.

BALTIMORE, MD., Aug. 17.—Flour, dull, unchanged.

Wheat—Weak; spot contract 71 1-8 and 71 1-4; southern by sample, 40 and 62.

Corn—Easier; spot, 54 1-2; southern white, 58 1-2 and 60 1-2.

Oats—New, steady; No. 2 mixed 25 bid.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 western domestic, 60 and 61.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; fancy imitation, 19 and 20; do. creamery, 23 and 24.

Eggs—Firm; 20 cents.

Cheese—Active and unchanged; large, 12; small 12 1-2.

LAST APPEARANCE OF MISS YOLO

Accomplished Singer Closes Engagement at Buckroe Tonight.

Tonight will close the engagement of Miss Alta Yolo, the prima donna contralto, at the Buckroe casino. Miss Yolo has been heard by large crowds during her engagement. It

is expected that the theatre will be crowded tonight.

Monday night the Gagnon-Pollock Stock Company, favorites at the Buckroe casino, will begin a three weeks' engagement, opening with a strong English comedy, "Woman Against Woman." Manager Gagnon says he has surrounded himself with a capable company.

KANSAS IS ALL RIGHT.

This Year's Yield of Wheat Will be 100,000,000 Bushels.

TOPEKA, KAN., Aug. 17.—The state agricultural department tonight issued a crop report, showing the state's yield of winter wheat to be more than 91,000,000 bushels. The yield of spring wheat will swell the total to 100,000,000 bushels, the greatest crop in the history of Kansas.

In ten years Kansas has raised 705,000,000 bushels of wheat, and in three of these years, the yield was more than 90,000,000 bushels each. Corn conditions reported to indicate 86 per cent. of the full crop. This means a harvest of about 200,000,000 bushels.

The people of Kansas have on deposit in banks nearly \$100 for every inhabitant.

BICYCLE THIEF ARRESTED.

Accused of Having Stolen a Score of Machines.

PATERSON, N. J., Aug. 17.—Andrew Horn, a former Paterson man, but who has recently lived in Brooklyn is under arrest on a charge of having stolen many bicycles here during the last three weeks.

The police say that he has made a confession and that he says he has been shipping the stolen wheels to a friend in Jersey City, by whom they have been disposed of to a dealer in second hand wheels in New York City.

For three weeks one bicycle a day has been reported missing to the police.

Andrew N. Kinloch, a bicycle dealer, left his wheel standing in front of an automobile garage in Paterson street, yesterday, and when he went to look for it it was gone. He learned that a young man had been seen riding a wheel in the direction of the Market street railroad station.

Kinloch ran to the station and saw a man putting a bicycle on board a train for Jersey City. He discovered that the wheel was his, and had the man arrested.

PASSES DECLARED VOID.

Middle Western Railroads Will Cancel Them Next Week.

OMAHA, Aug. 17.—All the middle Western railroads have ordered all passes cancelled after August 28, and hundreds of passes supposed to be good for the entire year will be called in on the day the new rate law goes into effect.

Orders were issued today by all roads having headquarters in Omaha, including all the Harriman lines, to limit the return portion of all trips passed to August 28 and to inform holders of annuals that they would not be good after that date.

The pass feature of the rate law was supposed to go into effect on January 1, 1907, but the legal departments of the different railroads have decided that the anti-pass clause is effective contemporaneously with other clauses.

TWO RACES SEEN IN MARS.

Syracuse Man Says He Visited the Planet.

SYRACUSE, Aug. 17.—Sackville G. Leyson, of this city, who has been a student of the occult, says that he recently took a trip to Mars while in a trance, and says he is ready to do the same thing again before an audience of scientists. He leaves his body behind, and only his spirit goes through space. In describing two wonderful races of men he found in Mars he says:

"One race was so large that I only came to their knees, while another only came to my knees. None wore clothing, and all were covered with hair. The large species had huge ears, a nose like a lion and only one eye in the middle of the forehead.

"The little men had web feet and lived in holes in the ground, while the large ones lived in houses built of rocks. The little ones could walk up perpendicular walls, as if they were flies. They had no nose, but there was a hole in each cheek.

"Everything seemed to be made in a serpentine form, even the roads. Through the equatorial belt of the planet was a wide belt of water, probably nine miles across. Some of the animals were green.

"I saw many of the big men working with a big machine, which cast light on to transparent rocks, reflecting it far into space and nearly to the atmosphere of the earth. When I approached Mars it looked like a ball of fire."

Old papers for sale—10c hundred. Apply at Daily Press Office.

Social-Personal

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Henley are visiting in Chase City.

Mr. H. C. Leslie is at the White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Mr. Louis C. Phillips is spending his vacation at Cold Sulphur Springs.

Mrs. R. W. Newman is stopping at "The Mecklenburg" at Chase City.

Mr. S. J. Bradshaw and family are visiting relatives in Isle of Wight county.

Mrs. M. W. Brown will leave Monday for King William county to visit relatives.

Mr. C. V. Sutton and little daughter are the guests of relatives in Richmond.

Miss Helen Bowman has returned from Winston-Salem, N. C., where she spent several weeks.

Mrs. Wade Hampton Morris and little daughter, Elizabeth, left yesterday for Lynchburg to spend two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Goodwin and little daughter have gone to the mountains to spend the rest of the summer.

Mrs. J. D. G. Brown and sons have returned from an extended visit to relatives in New York, Long Island and New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Libby and children, of Washington, D. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stralman, 649 Twenty-ninth street.

City Sergeant E. W. Milstead has returned to the city after a trip through the valley of Virginia. He was accompanied by Mrs. Milstead, who is now stopping with relatives up the Peninsula.

BLAME LAID ON BULGARIA.

Greek Minister Says No Attempt Was Made to Prevent Outrages.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—Mr. Metaxas, the Greek Minister to Great Britain, in the course of an interview here today, said that statements tending to put the responsibility on the Greeks for the Abiloh disturbances were absolutely untrue. He said:

"On July 29 the Greek diplomatic agent at Sofia was informed by the Greek consuls at Burgas and Rustchuk that serious disorders would occur at Abiloh and other towns. He immediately informed the Bulgarian government, which ignored the warning and took no steps to prevent disorders. Similar indifference has been displayed in all the towns which have been the scenes of such cruel outrages."

FREAK FRUIT TREE UNNAMED.

Neither Peach Nor Apricot, But Resembles Both Species.

On the fruit ranch of A. M. Cale, situated on the Naches River, Washington, is a fruit tree the species of which no horticulturist has been able yet to fix.

Four years ago Mr. Cale purchased this tree along with a number of other apricot trees, believing when he planted it that it was a tree of this kind. When it began to show its growth he noticed from its bark and leaves that it was not an apricot tree and at one time allowed it to fall over, and it had begun to die when he finally decided to care for it.

Since the tree has begun to bear it has been the wonderment of many fruit men who have viewed it. Unlike an apricot tree it grows straggly and tall. The bark greatly resembles that of a cherry tree. Its leaves are broader than those of an apricot but while the stem is of a dark red color. The fruit that it bears is of a dark red color. In shape it resembles an apricot, but it is nearly as large as a peach. Its greatest resemblance to the apricot is its seed. While a skin is of a reddish hue the flesh is of a greenish yellow color. The who have tasted the fruit assert it is entirely different from any other fruit that they have ever eaten. So

Sunday Excursion to Mathews Court by Old Dominion Steamer.

The Old Dominion Line Steam "Hampton Roads" will make a special trip to Mathews County, Sunday next August 19, leaving Old Point at 8 A. M. Fare round trip, \$1.10.

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New York, Newport News, V. 8-17-2t

EXCURSION EVERY SUNDAY, VIA C. & O. RY.

TO RICHMOND AND RETURN. Special train to leave Fort Monroe 8:30 A. M., Phoebus, 8:33 A. M., Hampton 8:38 A. M., Newport News 9:00 A. M., arriving Richmond 10:45 A. M.; returning leaves Richmond 7:30 P. M. \$1.25 round trip.

claim claim that they can detect a slight peach flavor to it.

The fruit ripens early, being ready for picking the first part of July. So anxious have fruit men been to obtain a propagation of the tree that as high as \$50 a bud has been offered Mr. Cale, but he has refused to part with any. He has budded some this year and in every instance they are growing well.

What the freak is remains a mystery.

HEAD CUT OFF BY CAR.

Electric Car Decapitates a Portsmouth Man.

(Associated Press.) NORFOLK, VA., Aug. 17.—In sight of hundreds of persons who attended a ball game this afternoon at Lafayette Park, and not far from the park, the head of Richard Land, of Portsmouth, was nearly severed from the body by a motor car of the Norfolk Railway and Light Company.

There was a slight demonstration against the motorman, E. C. Dotson, and the conductor, L. A. Gough. The train crew was arrested.

BOND-HAY TREATY'S STATUS.

Senator Proctor Thinks Mideification Needed to Insure Ratification.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Aug. 17.—Senator Redfield Proctor, of Vermont, who has been here for ten days, started homeward today.

It is understood he has been studying the latest phases of the fisheries dispute between the United States and Newfoundland. He has met the Governor and other public men. He said that he thought it unlikely the Bond-Hay treaty would be ratified unless it were modified.

LESSON IN ETIQUETTE.

Judgement Should Not Be Taken on Appearances.

"I ran over in May for the London season," said a globe trotter. "On the boat was a pretty widow from Altoona, who disgusted and amused all hands one day by saying:

"I am surprised that a fast and expensive boat like this should fail to supply us with toothpicks."

"She thought toothpicks indispensable, like napkins or forks. For thinking so we set her down as a parvenue."

"I dined during the season at Prince's, in Piccadilly; and at the Savoy in the room that overlooks the Carlton, where I paid a dollar for a plate of soup. And at all these restaurants, which are admittedly the finest and smartest and the most fashionable in the world—at all of them there were toothpicks on the table, each toothpick done up in a sterilized envelope."

"This taught me a lesson. It is narrow and provincial to despise people for their disregard of certain small rules of etiquette. The things we criticize them for, which may be glaring errors in Seattle or New York, may be the correct thing in Paris or London—New York Press.



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